Amendments to the Claims

The listing of claims below will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the present application.

Claim Listing

1   1. (Currently Amended) A method for collaborative computing in a system, the
2 method comprising:
3   allocating a dynamic computing environment using a first user interface, wherein
4   the dynamic computing environment comprises at least one resource of a
5   plurality of resources, and the dynamic computing environment is
6   allocated by virtue of allocating the at least one resource;
7   sharing the at least one resource between the first user interface and a second user
8   interface;
9   executing an application on the at least one ~~allocated~~ resource using either the
10   first user interface or the second user interface;
11   transferring information generated by execution of the application to the first user
12   interface; and
13   transferring the information generated by execution of the application to the
14   second user interface in response to a command to collaborate with the
15   second user interface, <u>wherein the first user interface and the second user</u>
16   <u>interface are at least in part provided by software executing on respective</u>
17   <u>first and second devices separate from the dynamic computing</u>
18   <u>environment.</u>

1   2. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising modifying the
2 information in the first user interface by interacting with the at least one shared resource
3 through the first user interface.

1   3. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising modifying the
2 information in the second user interface by interacting with the at least one shared
3 resource through the second user interface.

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1   4. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising switching control to

2   modify the information between the first and second user interface.

1   5. (Previously Presented) A method for providing sharing of a software process

2   among multiple users, the method comprising:

3   allocating a distributed computing environment by virtue of allocating a first user

4   computer and a second user computer;

5   using a resource computer to transmit information about execution of the process

6   to the first user computer, wherein the resource computer executes the

7   process in a first location, and a first user operates the first user computer

8   in a second location; and

9   using the resource computer to transmit information about the execution of the

10   process to the second user computer, wherein a second user operates the

11   second user computer in a third location, and the first user computer and

12   the second user computer comprise the distributed computing

13   environment.

1   6. (Original) The method of claim 5, further comprising controlling the resource

2   computer with the first user computer.

1   7. (Original) The method of claim 5, further comprising controlling the resource

2   computer with the second user computer.

1   8. (Original) The method of claim 5, further comprising switching control of the

2   resource computer between the first and second user computers.

1   9. (Original) The method of claim 5, further comprising modifying the

2   information using the first user computer.

1   10. (Original) The method of claim 5, further comprising modifying the

2   information using the second user computer.

1   11. (Original) The method of claim 5, further comprising switching control to
2   modify the information between the first and second user computer.

1   12. (Original) The method of claim 5, wherein the shared software process is an
2   operating system.

1   13. (Original) The method of claim 5, wherein the shared software process is a
2   user interface controller.

1   14. (Original) The method of claim 5, further providing for sharing of a plurality
2   of software processes.

1   15. (Original) The method of claim 5, wherein the system is used in training.

1   16. (Original) The method of claim 5, wherein the system is used in technical
2   support.

1   17. (Original) The method of claim 5, wherein the system is used in usability
2   studies.

1   18. (Previously Presented) A system for sharing a software process among
2   multiple users, the system comprising:
3   a resource computer that executes the process and transmits information about the
4   process;
5   a first user computer in a second location configured to receive information about
6   the execution of the process;
7   a second user computer in a third location configured to receive information about
8   the execution of the process; and
9   a dynamic computing environment, wherein the resource computer is allocated to
10   allocate at least a portion of the dynamic computing environment.

1   19. (Original) The system of claim 18, wherein the dynamic computing

2   environment is remotely located from the second and third location.

1   20. (Original) The system of claim 18, wherein the second location is remotely

2   located from the third location.

1   21. (Original) The system of claim 18, further comprising a user interface

2   controller, wherein the user interface controller switches control of the resource computer

3   from the first user computer to the second user computer.

1   22. (Original) The system of claim 18, wherein the system is used in training.

1   23. (Original) The system of claim 18, wherein the system is used in technical

2   support.

1   24. (Original) The system of claim 18, wherein the system is used in usability

2   studies.